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Dear Sir:

In response to the final Office Action dated January 10, 2005, please amend the present application as follows and consider the included remarks.

IN THE DRAWINGS

Please amend Figures 3a and 3b as shown in the enclosed replacement sheets. Figures 3a and 3b have been amended to accurately indicate that element 51 is a benzene ring. Applicant submits that these replacement figures are formal. Also, a separate letter to the Official Draftsperson is enclosed.